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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 169

Part B for Nov 1918

SUBJECT.

Appointment of Rev R. Bocquet as a Justice of the peace.

ell 9) Lo,

The Comptroller
No G 8084 d/ 6-11-1918

Notifies the above.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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File No. 23617

FILE HEADING.

Appointment of Mr. R. Boeguet as a justice of the Peace

From

No.	Dated	Received

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

NOTES—First Sheet.

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Subd. with an extract from the responsibility sheet in respect of the questions referred to in the notes of the 2nd member during his visit to the K.G. Fields.

2 Mr. S. M. Pritchard has proceeded on six months' leave. The question for decision now is whether there should be a Justice of the Peace on the Fields during this period. Mr. R. Shama Rao has been appointed to act for Mr. Pritchard during the latter's absence.

3 Mr Pritchard has been on leave from the 23rd March. Nearly a month and 6 months has already expired. Mr Pritchard has tried nearly 61 cases for the last 4 years, i.e. on an average about 15 cases a year. There could not therefore be much inconvenience in having the seven or eight cases that might occur, at Bangalore, as already suggested. If however it is considered absolutely necessary that a European Justice of the Peace should be stationed at K.G.F. then perhaps Mr Evered may be specially deputed to K.G.F. and recommended to the Govt of India for powers; or any the Geological officer like the Inspector of Mines may be recommended.

Chief Secretary

4 I think Mr Boeguel may be invested with the powers of a Justice of the

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Peace temporarily - If there are any cases which he cannot try ~~as having~~ because of his taking part in the investigation such cases may be tried by Mr Bowring, who may be authorised to go to the Fields for that purpose, the necessary expenses being borne by the Durbar.

5 There is no suitable junior European officer who may be posted to the H.Q. 7 either as D.S.P. or Spl magte

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2nd member
Dewan

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6 Must there be necessary qualifications for such officers as D.S.P.? Can any one be recommended simply because he happens to be an honorable man but not be possessed of knowledge of Criminal Law & experience as a magte? This is not quite clear from the above Note.

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7 Except in condition that a Justice in such case should be a European British [redacted]

A.S.(C)
Please speed this about 10 days
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no other restrictions seems to have been placed in the Foreign Jurisdiction Ordinance Council under which these appointments are made. Sd

Sd
6.15

First Member

(1) Should not the Commissioner of Police concerned be consulted whether he has anything to be recommended for the appointment?
(2) And what about consulting the Chief Justices of Bombay & Madras?
(3) What was the practice in previous occasions?

7/5 Wells

As it is
Sd
8/5
Sd 8/5

(1) Subd. with a draft.
(2) There seems to be no necessity to consult the Chief Court.
(3) The Chief Court were not consulted when the recommendation was made on behalf of Mr. Pritchard. (Vide ctn file 69-13).

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~~Secretary~~

1.0 Mr Simcox learnt that when a recommendation was made in Sept 1900 for the appointment of Messrs

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I Leonard, Davy and Bowring as J.P's, the Residency enquired if the gentlemen had the requisite knowledge of criminal law and if they had passed any tests. Between Leonard & Davey had not passed any tests, the recommendation was withdrawn by the Dunbar. Thus time may be some difficulty in recommending Mr Bocquet.

9/5

Chief Secretary)

11 There is no objection to consulting the Chief Court unofficially & this may be done.

12 Mr Bocquet has not passed any Law examinations, I think. But as a highly educated man, who has had experience in conducting enquiries into mining accts, it is probable that he will be quite equal to the duties of a J.P.

13 Cases of any intricacy can well be taken up by Mr Bowring & Mr Plummer as suggested in the letter to messrs Taylor Bros in another file & any simple cases of assault or breaches of local laws may well be handled by Mr Bocquet.

14 Owing to the paucity of

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European officers in the general service it is difficult to suggest any suitable arrangements to post any European Officer to the I.G.P. After Mr Pritchard returns there may not be much difficulty. If considered desirable Mr Boeque may be invested with the powers as a temporary measure during Mr P's absence.

15 If approved Mr B. Ch.dt may be consulted & a draft to Resr put up.

CDS 15/5/17

1st member

16 I am surprised that the powers now put up were ever withheld by the Bengal Government any longer. I think the Secretary will reconsider some complete control and the officials in question.

Under the present circumstances, I have no objection to action being taken as proposed above.

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17 Asstt Secy Mr. Please consult Ch.dt no.

CDS 16/5/17

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Serial No.

G.O. No. 926-17
dt 21st May 1918.

Forwarded unofficially to the Registrar Chief Court, for favour of opinion of the Judges.

By order

V Srinivasachar

20/5 Chief Secretary

OPINIONS.

19

The Chief Judge :- I am not sure whether we are expected to say whether any appointment is necessary, or only whether the nomination of Mr. Bocquet would be in order and desirable.

I have no doubt that some appointment would be desirable during Mr. S.M. Pritchard's absence, and I should think that Mr. Bocquet would be a suitable nominee. He might make some mistakes in procedure, but the cases are not likely to be many or complicated, and the Madras High Court can set him right if necessary. I am unable to say whether the Government of India require any particular qualification before conferring powers, but I do not think any are required by Law.

19th June 1918.

Mr. Justice

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Mr. Justice K.S.Chandrasekhara Aiyar :-

20 I do not think our opinion is asked as regards the necessity or desirability of an appointment; this seems to be assumed, and the question referred is merely whether Mr.Bocquet may be recommended for appointment as a Justice of the Peace.

I agree with the Chief Judge (and for the reasons given by him) that he may be so recommended.

26th June 1918.

Mr. Justice T. Paramasiva Iyer :-

21 I would not appoint a man quite new to magisterial work. Mr. Plumer can without appreciable inconvenience dispose of the very few cases arising in the Kolar Gold Fields and requiring to be dealt with by a Justice of the Peace.

27th June 1918.

Chief Court of Mysore.
Bangalore.
dated 29th June 1918.

N. Lakshmipathy
REGISTRAR.

NOTE—Contra. sheet.

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CHIEF COURT OF MYSORE.

BANGALORE.

Dated 29th June 1918.

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From

N.T. GOPALIENGAR, Esquire, B.A., LL.B.,

Registrar of the Chief Court of Mysore.

To

C.S. BALASUNDARAM IYER, Esquire, B.A.,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

Bangalore.

Sir,

I am directed to return herewith with the opinions of the Judges, Unofficial File No. J. 26-17 dated the 21st May 1918 in the matter of the appointment of a Justice of the Peace during the absence of Mr. S.M. Pritchard on leave.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

N. Gopaliengar

REGISTRAR.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

File No. 14 2/85 of 1917.

Serial No.

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Subd. with the opinion of the Chief Court.
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25 Chief Sec.)
26 1st members

27 Dist Mag perhaps accept Mr opinion of Mr Magistrate of Mr proper + recommend Mr. Bocquet's name for a J.P.
28 How does Mr. Pritchard return from leave? It will perhaps be desirable to have a supernumerary J.P. in addition to Mr. Pritchard in cases of emergency such as we had recently. Necessary action may be taken.

9/7

29. Issue the draft to Mr Bocquet

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To Mr. Bocquet
cch. Inspector of Levies Doresham
No. 9694
Dated 13th July 1918

Requests to intimate whether he has any objection to [illegible]

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Serial No. 2

From

Mr. R. Boequet no. 90 & 16.7.18

States that he has no objection to his being appointed a justice of the Peace.

Subd. with a draft to the Residency-

Mr. Pritchard has been granted 6 months' leave with effect from the 23rd March 1918. He is due on the 23rd Septr.-(Reference para 28 supra)-

V.N. 1817

In favour of approval

Chief Secretary) Draft may be approved

1st member)
2nd member)
Dewan)

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571 27.7.18

273 25.7.18

Well 23/7

I agree but I do like to observe that there is considerable force in the view expressed by Mr. Justice Parameshwar

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WD A 1269—GPB—60,000—20-3-18—S.

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Serial No.	
3.	To the P.A. Resident. No 117 dt 31.7.18 "Request that Mr. R. Boquet may be recommended to the Governor in Council for the grant of a certificate of honour." From the P.A. Resident D.O. no 5828 dt 21-8-18 Enquires whether Mr. Boquet has had any previous experience of magisterial or Police work Ch. Secy.'s orders. "Please put up a draft reply" Intd. C.S.B.
4	Draft Submd. 23/8. 24/8 23/8 (Chief Secy) In approval before issue. 1st member) 24/8/18 3/9 Issue 3/9 3/9

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WD A 1739—GPB—60,000—20-8-18—S.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

Cls File No. 236 of 1917.

Serial No.	
5	To The F. A. Resident No. 2460 of 6-9-18 States that Mr. Bocquet has not had any experience of either Police or magisterial work. He is a highly educated man conducting enquiries into mining accidents and other similar cases. However he will be quite equal to the duties of a Justice of the Peace.
6	From, The D. M. Kolar No. 200 Of 12-9-18 Recommends Mr. Bocquet for a post as a Justice of the Peace Draft reply sntd.
7	To, The D. M. Kolar D. O. No. Cy 5633 Of 17-9-18 States that the name of Mr. Bocquet is approved to the Resident for [illegible] for the [illegible]

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Ch Secy
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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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Serial No.	
8	From, The F. A. Resident No. 7437 Dt 29-10-18 Forwards a notification of the Govt of India appointing Mr. R. Bocquet a Justice of the Peace Encld. with a draft notification republishing the Govt of India notification. SG 5/11 Issue today necessary SG 5/11
9	To, The Compiler, Mysore Gazette No. G 8084 Dt 6-11-18 Notifies the appointment of Mr. R. Bocquet, Inspector of Mines, KGF. to be a Justice of the Peace within the State of Mysore

20 DEC 1918

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SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to .. ..

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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, the *191*

Date of issue 13.7.16

Signed by Asst. Gen. Secy

Section Cash

File No. 2 35-17

Serial No. 1

No. 7672

To

Dear Sir,

Govt. propose recommending you for investiture with the powers of a Justice of the Peace to be exercised within the State of Mysore & I am desired to request you to be so good as to intimate whether you have any objection to the proposal.

Yours Sincerely

CBK

R. Bogues Esq

Chief Inspector over of Mines

Oorgaum, Kolar Gold Fields.

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Land Section
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DIARY No. 5/6

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Office of the Chief Inspector of Mines
in Mysore. 2

D.O. No. 90 Dated Oorgaum, 16th July 1918.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your D. O. letter No. G. 694 dated Bangalore 13th instant and beg to inform you that, after giving the matter due consideration, I have no objection to the proposal being carried out.

If the necessary sanction is obtained, certain matters - which need not be discussed here - will have to be settled.

Yours sincerely,

R. Bocquet

To

G. Srinivasa Iyer, Esq., B.A., M.L.,
Assistant Secretary,
General and Revenue Secretariat,
BANGALORE.

G. R. S. Vl—G/32]

SUBJECT... Re appointment of Mr Boequet as a Justice of the Peace.

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Section Courts
File No. 235-17
Serial No. 2

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT
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No. 117

Date of issue 31.7.18

Signed by Mr L. S. Balaram Das

To

The H. M. Resident

Sir,

I am directed to state that the Durbar consider that there should be another Justice of the Peace in the Kolar Dt. in addition to Mr. S. M. Pritchard, Special Supdt. of Police, Kolar Gold Fields (now on leave) and to request that, if there be no objection, Mr. R. Boequet, Inspector of Mines, who resides within the said area, may kindly be recom-

over.

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ended for appointment as a

ustice of the Peace.

I have etc

Chief Secy to Govt

23/7/18.

List of enclosures.

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W D86--G P B--60,000--15-11-16

G 3153.

THE MYSORE RESIDENCY,

Bangalore, 21st August 1918

Dear Mr. Balasundaram Iyer,

With reference to your official letter No.117, dated the 31st July 1918, regarding the appointment of Mr. R. Bocquet as a Justice of the Peace, I am desired to enquire whether he has had any previous experience either of Magisterial or Police Work.

Yours sincerely,

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

B J.

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SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

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File No. 235/17
Serial No. 5

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT
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D. O.
No. 246

Date of issue.....6.-.9.-.18.....

To

Signed by Hon. C. S. Venkatasubramaniya Iyer

Dear Sir,

With reference to your D. O. no. 5828 G, 21st Aug 18, I am desired enquiring whether Mr. Bourgnet has had any previous experience of Magisterial or police work, I am directed to state that he has not had experience of either work. I am however to add That he is a highly educated man who has had experience in

Chief Magistrate

over.

conducting enquiries into mining accidents and cases of that kind. The Resident Mr Durban have no doubt- ~~Sord~~. ~~It is probable therefore~~ that he will be quite equal to the duties of a J. P.

Further the Durban intend to refer to him only simple cases of assault or breaches of local laws & Cases of any intricacy will be referred to Mr. Bowring or Mr. Plumer, who are already Justices of the Peace.

Arrangements will be made that cases taken up by

Yours Sincerely.

CBy

3/9/10

List of enclosures.

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To

E. H. S. James Esq.

A. A. Resident

Copied by

Examined by

W D86--GPB--60,000--15-11-16

No.C.200.

Oorgaum, 12th September 1918

13 SEP 1918

Dear Mr Balasundaram Esq,

Mr.H.Bocquet, Chief Inspector of Mines on the Kolar Gold Field is willing to have the powers of a Justice of the Peace conferred upon him. He has some experience of criminal Court work, as I can personally testify, having conducted prosecutions in several cases under the Mining Rules and it will not be difficult for him to pick up, from the study of the Regulations, more information that may be required for the trial of the ordinary cases that will come up before him as Justice of the Peace. If I may be permitted to make the suggestion, I would suggest that Mr. Bocquet may be made a Justice of the Peace. This will not, in any way, interfere with the exercise of powers by Mr.Pritchard when he comes, but it will be a convenience. As it is possible to do so, we may well take advantage of the strong common sense and fair-mindedness of Mr.Bocquet, by giving him judicial powers as Justice of the Peace.

Yours sincerely,

B Lewis Rice

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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Date of issue 17-9-18

Signed by [illegible]

Section C5.
File No. 235-17.
Serial No. 7

D. O
No. C 5633

To

Dear Mr Venkoba Rao,

In acknowledging with thanks the receipt of your D.O. No. C 200 Dy 12-9-1918 recommending that Mr. Bocquet may be appointed as a Justice of the Peace, I am desired to state that his name has been suggested to the Residency for being recommended for the post.

over.

orders of the Govt

~~That the subject of~~

her correspondence with

Residency.

Yours Sincerely.

Rs 1,419/

B. Venkoba Rao Esq. B.A

Ag. Dy. Commr. Kolar Dt.

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MYSORE RESIDENT'S OFFICE,

Bangalore, 29 October 1918

Ch Sec 29.10.18

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No. 7437 Part I

A copy of the marginally* noted ~~letter, with enclosure~~, is forwarded to the Chief Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, for information, with reference to his letter No 117 dated the 31st July 1918.

*No 3337 P.B. dated 16-X-18 from the Govt of India

Notification Courts 295-17.

C L S 11/11/18 30/10/18

E H S James

First Assistant Resident.

KM

No. 3337-I.B.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 16th October 1918.

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N O T I F I C A T I O N.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. R. Bocquet, Inspector of Mines, Kolar Gold Fields, being a European British Subject, to be a Justice of the Peace within the State of Mysore.

Sd. J. B. Wood,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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Received on 6.11.18 at 1.30 PM.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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Date of issue.....6.11.18

Signed by.....

Section C5

File No. 235-17

Serial No. 9.

Notification.

No. 8084

The following Notification No. 3337-I. G. of the 16th Oct. 1918 issued by the Govt. of India, Foreign and Political Department is republished:—

"In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) order in Council, 1902, and of

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appoint Mr. R.
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f Mines, Kolar
Gold Fields, being
European British
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f the Peace within
e State of Mysore"

By order

for Chief Secy.

List of enclosures.

The Compiler, Mysore
Gazette.

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